

SB1274



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

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Introduced 2/17/2015, by Sen. Daniel Biss

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/12-4.13a new

Amends the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that subject to federal approval, the gross income eligibility standard for benefits provided under the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) shall be 165% of the nonfarm income poverty guidelines prescribed by the Office of Management and Budget for all households except elderly, blind, or disabled households which shall be considered categorically eligible if the gross income of such elderly, blind, or disabled households is at or below 200% of the nonfarm income poverty guidelines. Effective January 1, 2016.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
5 adding Section 12-4.13a as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/12-4.13a new)

7 Sec. 12-4.13a. Gross income eligibility standard; SNAP.
8 Subject to federal approval, the gross income eligibility
9 standard for benefits provided under the federal Supplemental
10 Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) shall be 165% of the
11 nonfarm income poverty guidelines prescribed by the Office of
12 Management and Budget for all households except elderly, blind,
13 or disabled households which shall be considered categorically
14 eligible if the gross income of such elderly, blind, or
15 disabled households is at or below 200% of the nonfarm income
16 poverty guidelines. Effective January 1, 2016.

17 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect January
18 1, 2016.